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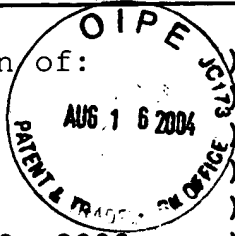
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Sir:

The Examiner is thanked for his careful examination and review of the present application and for allowing the present application in response to Applicants' Appeal Brief. The Examiner identifies published international application WO 01/29890 and states that it is not available as prior art. Applicants note that even if WO 01/29890 were available as a prior art reference, it discloses the need to use a sodium containing paste to form the anodic bond, and, moreover, it fails to teach or suggest any of the cooling features in many of the claims of the present application.

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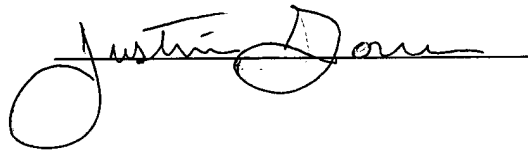
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